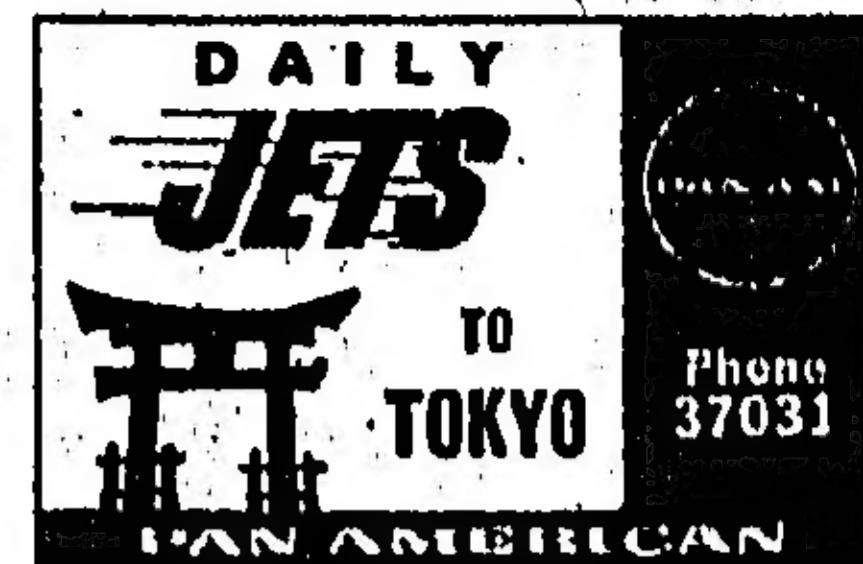


THE WEATHER

CHINA

Moderate to fresh gusty easterly winds, becoming strong at times in exposed places. Cloudy with sunny periods. Isolated patches of rain tonight. At 1 pm at the Observatory the temp was 83 degrees F and the relative humid 58 per cent.

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THE TWO BIG 'EASTS'

**THE long spell of diplomatic**  
trends warfare in the West is giving way to a plethora of ideas and activities. Ideas range from the dubious but interesting "banalism" on nuclear tests and disarmament by Mr. Krushchev and another mission to Moscow by Mr. Macmillan — perhaps with Mr. Nehru's personal letter on his talk with Mr. Krushchev as a guiding light — to a new initiative by Dr. Spaak to ease East-West tension.

Meanwhile high Soviet officials are said to be getting a flood of letters from Americans anxious about war risks. It would be surprising if there were no counterpart whatever to the intensive Western discussions in connection with similar risks in the Far East.

Foreign observers in Peking, according to a despatch by the French news agency correspondent, believe that important political and military talks are going on in Moscow with delegates from People's China.

At one time it was thought that even Chairman Mao Tse-tung himself might be there. He is not over-fond of the Kremlin and would hardly go there unless the invitation was so pressing as to amount to insistence.

But Premier Chou En-lai has fewer personal misgivings and if these talks are in fact proceeding, it seems more likely that he is conducting them for China. It is obvious that no settlements can be really secure unless some similar safeguards are instituted in regard to the trouble spots in this part of the world.

The intensity of the rivalry which lies at the root of the Indo-China situation is revealed by the unconscionable time the negotiations at Geneva and in Laos have taken, altogether out of proportion to the significance of primitive Laos in the general sense of values, but comprehensible only on the basis of the power and ideological struggle.

SOVIET strategy and command concave the Communist bloc as a unit. There are Treaties which confirm this. No doubt the Soviet want a clearer and more definite understanding than now exists on the periphery of the struggles in Asia, especially if they seek at last real solutions in the West.

It would be more than Mr. Krushchev's wish if he did manage to get the Army over. His aim for a comprehensive Western alliance if things went very wrong in Southeast Asia and the Far East. It would also be pertinent to discover China's ideas about disarmament, since that, too, seems likely to come up very soon.

Peking has been as volatile on Laos as it has maintained for years a rigorous (but not necessarily sinister) silence on Malaya, and lately it has mingled its satisfaction over the very considerable advance of the Communists and their friends in Laos with loud threats and protests against the well-known bogey of "U.S. Imperialism" both there and in Vietnam.

THIS happens to coincide with the completion of the draft of the rules to guide the International Control Commission in Laos in the international supervision of its neutrality and discussions on co-operation with the Commissions in the two other Indo-China States, Cambodia and Vietnam.

Salon Radio said the Communists are moving new detachments into southern Laos in apparent preparation for a major guerrilla offensive in South Vietnam. Actions speak louder than words. It is obvious that the Communists have long been on the offensive in Indo-China. It is equally obvious that the territorial gains they have already made, and the fears that they may seek to exploit them with further conquests, have led to a quickening and reinforcement of forces of defence.

The West and its allies in the Far East are not going to let the whole of Indo-China go by default. It is as necessary to demonstrate this in the Far East as in Berlin.

# Fresh outburst of fighting in the Congo IRISH FORCE OVERWHELMED

Reinforcements fail to get through

MASS RALLIES IN LONDON, HOLY LOCH

Police arrest more than 1,000 ban-the-bombers

CHOLERA: NO NEW CASES FOR 5 DAYS

No fresh cases of cholera have been reported in the Colony for five days.

Dublin, Sept. 17. The official Irish Government Information Service said tonight that it has received a cable from the United Nations headquarters in Leopoldville saying that fighting has broken out once again between Irish troops and Katangese at Jadotville.

The cable said that the 155-man Irish contingent has been "overwhelmed."

The Information Service said the UN Command said that the news of new fighting at Jadotville had been relayed from Elisabethville by General Sean McKeon, the Irish UN military commander in the Congo.

"It now appears that the garrison at Jadotville has been overwhelmed by drastically superior numbers," General McKeon's message stated.

## Success

Earlier today, it had been reported that the Irish troops had successfully held off superior numbers of Katangese for four days with only five men wounded and no troops killed.

The Government Information Service said that the communication was received from Leopoldville at 2150 GMT. The text of the message was as follows:

"The situation at Jadotville changed drastically today at about 1400 GMT. Signals received indicated that the peaceful situation has ended. It now appears that the garrison at Jadotville has been

## EX-PREMIER MENDERES EXECUTED

Ankara Radio reported at 1700 GMT today that Mr. Adnan Menderes, Turkey's pro-Western strongman Premier for a decade, has been executed.

News of Menderes' execution had been expected all morning following his recovery from an overdose of sleeping pills, but an official government communiqué announcing his death was issued only this afternoon.

The 61-year-old Menderes was one of three leaders of the former Turkish regime whose death sentences were confirmed on Friday night by the National Unity Committee, Turkey's ruling military junta.

Former Foreign Minister Fatin Rüstü Zorlu and Finance Minister Hasan Polatkan were hanged before dawn yesterday.

## Gallows

Menderes was to have gone to the gallows at the same time, but was temporarily spared while a prison physician nursed him back to consciousness from an apparent suicide attempt.

The court which doomed the former Premier after a seven-month trial, also ordered the death penalty for 18 other Communists. But the Committee committed 12 of those sentences, including that of former President Celal Bayar, to life imprisonment.

The 12 spared from hanging brought to 49 the total of life sentences among the 502 persons sentenced by the court for "violating the country's constitution."

Prison sentences of various lengths were meted out to 418 persons and 122 were acquitted. Another five had their cases dismissed by the court.

Menderes went to his death despite a chain of diplomatic notes from Turkey's Western allies and other friendly countries asking that his life be spared.

Menderes was convicted of a

In London tonight police arrested 774 people for demonstrating in and around Trafalgar Square and, in Scotland, another 351 were arrested this morning and last night, when they sat down at the Holy Loch anchorage for the American Navy's ship Proteus.

The London arrests followed a police ban on all demonstrations in the Trafalgar Square area for a 24-hour period beginning at midnight on Saturday.

## Sit down

When the Committee announced it intended to stage a sit down in Parliament Square after the ban expired, police announced the ban had been extended a further 24 hours.

In spite of the number arrested, pre-planning by London and Scottish police prevent the demonstrators from achieving their two objectives.

Earlier this week, after the Committee's chairman, 89-year-old philosopher and author Earl (Bertrand) Russell, was jailed for seven days, a Committee spokesman said his group planned to "immobilise" the Holy Loch for 24 hours, and send 5,000 "sitters" to London's Parliament Square.

But at Holy Loch, access to the United States Navy's Proteus, mother ship for the Polaris submarine fleet, was maintained.

## Objective

In London a 1,500-man police cordon flung around Trafalgar Square, confined the demonstrators to that area and the "objective" — Parliament Square — was left to sightseers and hundreds of police.

The difficulties of the London police were complicated by the fact that Battle of Britain Sunday was being commemorated in Parliament Square, just 30 minutes before the Committee's demonstration was about to begin.

Under the special powers granted the London police by Home Secretary, Mr. R. A. Butler, last week, only demonstrators by themselves or supporters of the "Committee of 100" were banned, while the parade by Royal Air Force veterans was allowed.

The police were thus faced with the problem of clearing the entire area of thousands of onlookers at the RAF parade before the demonstration began.

To do this the police asked people to leave Parliament

London, Sept. 17. More than 1,000 people have been arrested in London today and at Holy Loch, Scotland, in the last two days, in the biggest demonstration ever staged by the direct action "Committee of 100" in protest against nuclear arms.

Square as soon as the RAF band had passed and the sightseers walked right into the demonstration in Trafalgar Square.

The demonstrators behaved in their usual passive fashion,

but some of the thousands of onlookers frequently rushed the lines, linking hands and shouting "Ban-the-Bomb."

Ten policemen were nearly forced beneath the wheels of a double-decker bus.

As dusk fell the police gradually sorted out the demonstrators from the sightseers and the curious, until at 8 pm Trafalgar Square contained only a few hundred squatters. — Reuter.

Typhoon Nancy leaves 146 dead in Japan

Tokyo, Sept. 17. Typhoon Nancy's death and damage toll steadily rose today as reports from all areas hit by the big storm reached the capital.

Latest police reports said 146 persons were killed, 10 were missing and over 1,000 homes

destroyed.

Despite early warnings and precautions which helped keep down the death toll, property damage from one of the most violent typhoons to rip up the country was extensive.

SMASHED

Police said 10,453 homes were completely smashed, 29,961 half destroyed, 433 washed away, 200,000 flooded and 248,554 partly damaged.

The typhoon swept away 500 bridges, broke sea walls at 935 places, cut rail traffic at 134 places, caused 1,040 landslides, damaged roads at 2,033 places and damaged 24,024 non-residential buildings besides interrupting communications at 33,000 places.

In addition 300 ships of various sizes were sunk, 417 washed away from their moorings and 1,070 were damaged.

The Construction Ministry tentatively estimated damage to public works alone at US \$70 million dollars. — AP.

The number of confirmed cases has remained steady at 129 since last Wednesday.

Last Wednesday's case was a woman, not inoculated, who fell a victim to the disease in Ngaantauok.

Meanwhile the quarantine centre in Chatham-road was closed down and transferred to the Male Wing of the old Mental Hospital in High-street, Salympur.

## Not over

However, there is no one in the Salympur quarantine centre today, and the total number of contacts discharged is 692.

"This does not mean, however, that it's all over," said a Government spokesman this morning.

Of the total number of confirmed cases 14 have died, one is on the danger list, and 53 have been discharged.

Also recovered and discharged were 53 carriers.

Asked under what conditions the Government would declare Hongkong clear of the epidemic, the spokesman said: "When there are no more cholera cases occurring in the Colony."

## Hurricane Esther

Miami, Sept. 17. Esther, a large and extremely dangerous hurricane, which reportedly 400 miles west of San Juan, Puerto Rico, and 625 miles east of Miami tonight.

With 150 mile-per-hour winds, it continued to head towards the U.S. coast. — AP.

## ONE OF THEIRS

London, Sept. 17. Two London policemen who shot an attractive woman driver "shot" some traffic lights stopped her after a chase and found she was in the police force, too.

This was revealed when the policewoman was fined £5 for crossing the lights when they were red. — China Mail Special.

## 18-pound baby

St Hyacinth, Sept. 17. Mrs. Benoit Beauchemin, wife of a Quebec farmer, has given birth to an 18-lb boy in hospital here.

Both are doing well.

For the 38-year-old Mrs. Beauchemin, who weighs 18 stone and is 5 feet 10 inches tall, it was her 14th child, of whom 12 are living.

In June, 1960, she gave birth to a boy weighing 17 lbs. — China Mail Special.

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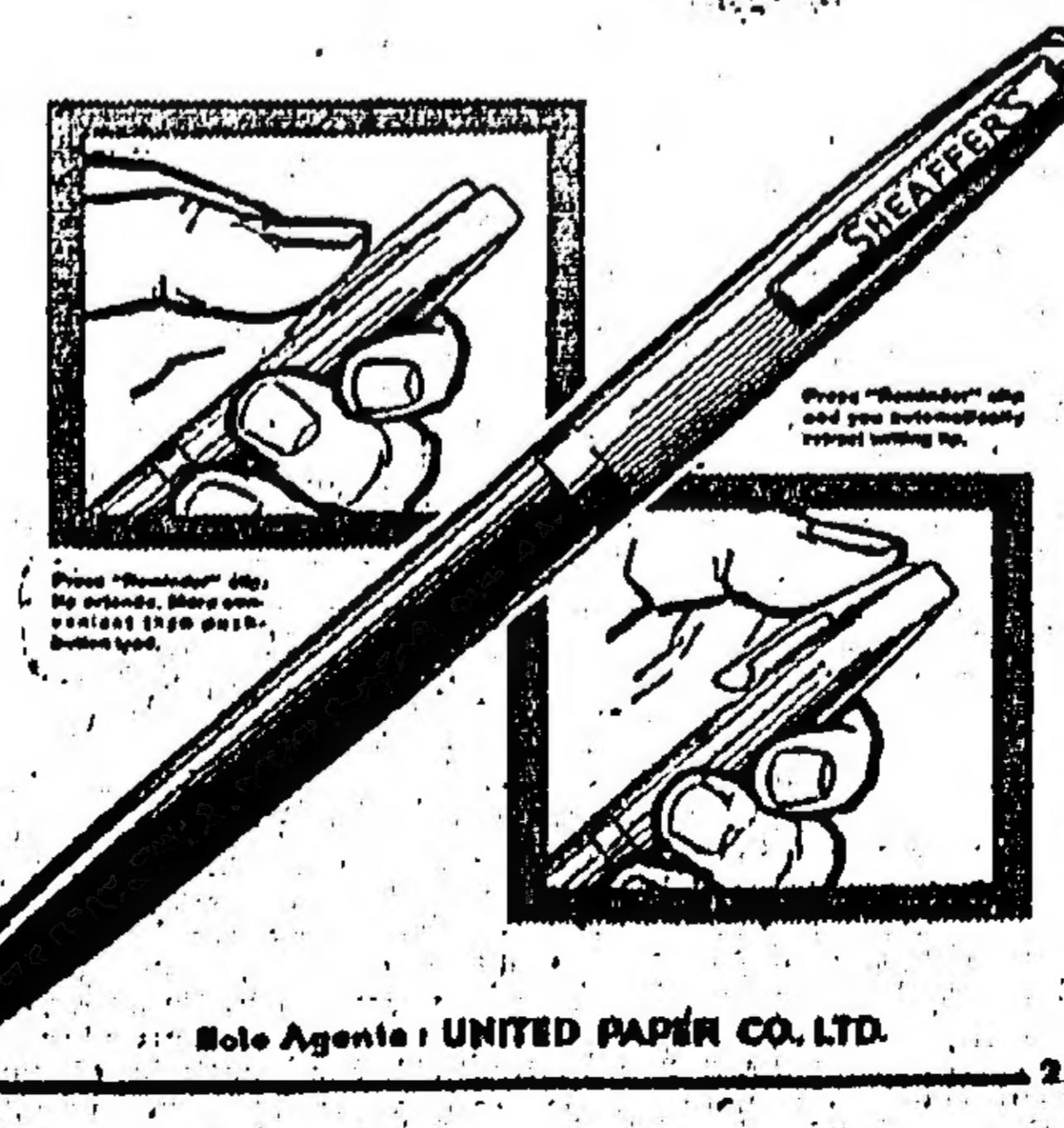
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# Weekly survey of American economy

## INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY

### Developments point to return to a boom

New York, Sept. 17.

The United States seems to be returning to a larger international payments deficit, to a larger budget deficit and to higher interest rates of all kinds.

At the same time, in step with a more prosperous economy, there were first real indications of a drop in unemployment, of higher capital investment in plant and equipment and more mild inflation.

All the above indications would speak of a return to a boom, with all its bright and dark areas.

President Kennedy's appeal to steel makers to keep their price level was answered last week individually by the major manufacturers. It was not rejected out of hand but the steelmen reserved the right to increase prices after October to product by product and area by area, where warranted by conditions. In effect, they all told the President, the steel industry alone should not, and cannot, be held responsible for inflation.

The U.S. industrial recovery sparked a substantial increase in imports. In July, the figure was \$1,371,400,000, up 16 per cent from June and up nine per cent from July 1960. This was the largest monthly import volume since the \$1,400 million brought in September 1959.

#### Exports down

At the same time, exports have failed to maintain their rising trend, in fact, during the second quarter the export curve moved downwards. Large loan repayments from abroad, such as the big ones from Germany earlier this year, did not occur; now of short-term investment money from the US to Europe was beginning to pick up as a result of the seven per cent yield on short-term Treasury issues in Britain. The gold drain also began after the US stock held level for most of the first half.

All this spelled a higher international payments deficit for the United States in the second half—just how big, nobody knew yet.

The five and a quarter per cent mortgage interest on housing insured by the Federal Housing Authority which went in effect last May found little

#### Agreed merchant rates

West German Deutschemarks maximum selling 60-5/8.

#### UNIT TRUSTS

First Hongkong Fund: \$1.14 (buyer) \$1.22 (seller)  
Second Hongkong Fund: 89 cents (buyer) 95 cents (seller)

#### P.O. ORIENT LINES

#### S.S. CHITRAL

ROUND TRIP TO JAPAN CALLING AT YOKOHAMA, SHIMIZU, AND KOBE.

EMBARKATION: The ship will be berthed at No. 5 Pier, Kowloon Wharf, entrance at No. 6 Gate, Navy Street off Canton Road. Passengers should embark between 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Monday, 18th September 1961.

#### SAKS:

The ship is expected to sail at 7 a.m. on Tuesday, 19th September, 1961.

#### BAGGAGE:

Should be sent to the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf Co's, godown (entrance at No. 2 Gate, Canton Road), between 8 A.M. and 3 P.M. on MONDAY, 18TH SEPTEMBER, 1961.

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### TEXTILES WEEKLY REVIEW

New York, Sept. 17. New business in cotton textiles, both in the grey and finished state, continued at a slow pace last week. Buyers and sellers marked time, with each side jockeying for a better position on prices.

Subdued activity also was coupled with the Jewish religious holidays, plus the disappointing disruption in efforts to achieve a quick settlement of the General Motors strike.

The administration's stand on price increases and the threat of anti-inflationary controls were other background factors in the scaling buyers' sellers' plans for the future.

Workers wondered why contractors keep postponing new purchases in view of the fractional certainty of higher costs for goods to be delivered in the fourth and first quarters. Rising raw cotton prices, higher wages for mill workers and inflationary pressure generally will compel advances, manufacturers insisted.

#### Unemployment falls

Unemployment fell by nearly 600,000 in the mid-July to mid-August period, totalling some four and a half million. In October the government said it would fall below four millions.

This would break the 6.8-8.0 percentage of jobless out of the nation's total labour force which has refused to budge for close to nine months.

Hard fibres settled back in quiet trading. Burlap traders counted on an increasing supply of new jute crop arrivals in the immediately ensuing week.

Federal economists estimated that investment for new plant and equipment in the current quarter will rise to an annual rate of close to \$35,000 million. If true, this would be a sizable recovery from the \$23,500 million rate of the second quarter which was considered the low point, still under the influence of the 1960-61 recession.

The disparity in strength between the "quality" industrial stocks comprising the Dow-Jones average and the rest of the market was still widely in favour of quality and it was argued, quality would probably have to come down first to close the gap in this kind of market.

Some encouragement was provided, however, by the fact that the industrial average had rebounded a couple of more times from the bottom of its month long trading range of about 714. Any penetration of this level on volume it was said,

### 'Invite foreign firms to set up factories in U.S.: banker

New York, Sept. 17. Here's a switch in international relations.

While the United States is spending millions of dollars overseas to aid depressed countries, an investment banker here advocates inducing foreign companies to establish plants in this country's depressed areas.

Leo Model, senior partner of Model, Roland & Stone, pointed to about 100 communities in the United States where more than 600,000 unemployed have little prospect of finding employment when the economy recovers.

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# U.S. TO OFFER 'FAR-REACHING' DISARMAMENT PROPOSALS

## Decision follows failure of talks with Russia

Washington, Sept. 17. The United States will offer far-reaching disarmament proposals to the UN which opens in New York on Tuesday, officials here said today.

### Mouse bites tiger trainer

Bonn, Sept. 17. A Dutch tiger trainer, Henck Luyck, had a bandaged arm when he appeared for his act in a circus near Saarbruecken, the newspaper *Rhein Zeitung*, reported.

A mouse had bitten him and the pound had turned septic.—China Mail Special.

### Death strikes in W. Berlin

### City Parliament

Berlin, Sept. 17. West Berlin's 22 Bundestag Deputies were elected in a special session of the City Parliament here this afternoon after a dramatic interruption caused by the collapse and death of Parliamentary President Willy Henneberg.

The Deputies, 13 Social Democrats, and nine Christian Democrats, have no vote in the Bundestag and are not elected in general elections because of West Berlin's special status.

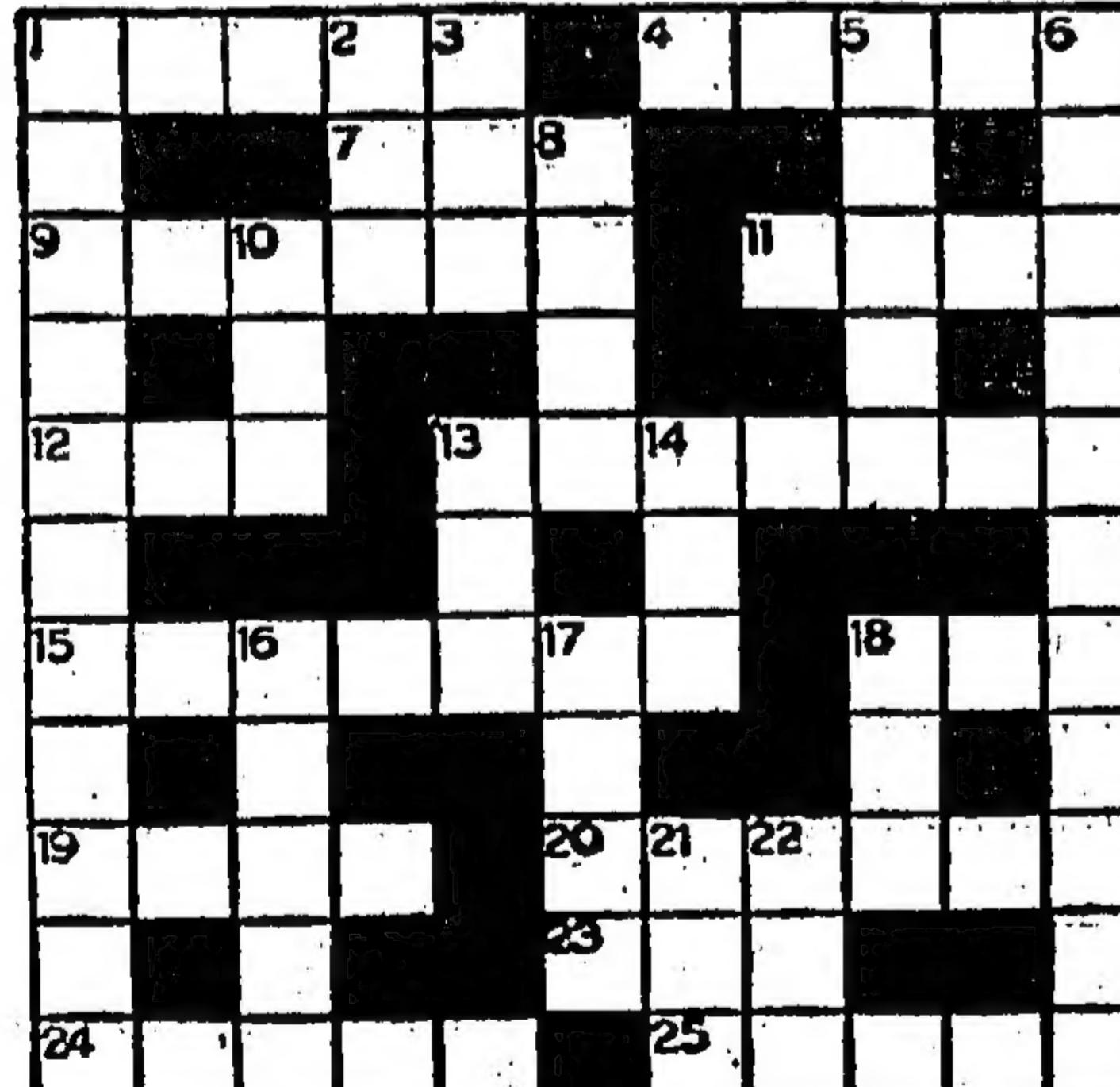
The Berlin Deputies include Herr Willy Brandt, 47-year-old Mayor who is the Social Democratic candidate for Chancellor in today's elections.

Berlin Bundestag Deputies are chosen in proportion to party strength in the City Parliament. The Social Democrats and Christian Democrats are the only parties in Parliament here.—Reuter.

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### A British Crossword Puzzle



**ACROSS**

1. Manner?
4. Look—a timepiece!
7. Negative.
9. Shed.
11. Poster man.
12. Domesticated ox.
13. Mouldable material.
15. Keeps within bounds.
16. Lad who's sad?
19. Not on paper.
20. Transform—notes into coins!
23. Opener!
24. Discoveries.
25. Has on.

**DOWN**

1. Fielder (two words).
2. Maltese name!
3. Drunkard!
5. Cheat Oliver!
6. They fly.
8. Labour.
10. Floating mensager!
13. Average.
14. Dumb fool.
16. School.
17. Devilish name.
18. Fastener.
21. Chop.
22. Twas ever thus!

**SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD**—Across: 1. Scrap, 5. Sleazy, 9. Ale, 10. Liked, 11. Lunge, 12. Age, 13. Len, 14. Apt, 18. Mot, 19. Eatem, 21. With, 23. Aped, 26. Entice, 29. Feo, 31. Avr, 32. Toy, 34. Dam, 36. Exude, 37. Clean, 38. Bon, 39. Heels, 40. Ewers. Down: 1. Sallow, 2. Clap, 3. Rented, 4. Pleat, 5. Skate, 6. Leg, 7. Adam, 8. Shot, 17. Felix, 18. Ewe, 19. She, 20. Mac, 22. Ice, 24. Pefuse, 25. Doydus, 27. Names, 28. Irene, 29. Flan, 30. Edge, 33. Oder, 35. All.

Washington, Sept. 17. They said it had not been finally decided whether President Kennedy would personally outline them or leave the matter to his Secretary of State, Mr Dean Rusk.

Officials said the decision to make the U.S. proposals was taken when it became apparent that U.S.-Soviet talks in Washington, Moscow and New York had failed to produce agreement on procedures for new East-West disarmament talks.

The U.S. remains hostile to the Soviet proposal to link a nuclear test ban treaty with general disarmament negotiations. U.S. officials say this would complicate the problem further and result in indefinite delay.

#### LETTER

President Kennedy's recent letter to the non-aligned nations said the new U.S. disarmament plan "provides for a programme which will ensure that disarmament is general and complete; that war is no longer an instrument for settling international disputes; and that disarmament is accompanied by the creation of reliable procedures for peaceful settlement of disputes and maintenance of peace."—Reuter.

#### KILLED BY FUMES

Paris, Sept. 17. A 68-year-old farmer and his wife, their 36-year-old son, and a farmhand died in Mortain, Normandy, after being overcome by fumes while cleaning a elder vat.—China Mail Special.

## W. GERMAN ELECTION RETURNS SHOW COALITION PROSPECT

Bonn, Sept. 17. Prospects of a Coalition Government in West Germany increased tonight as election returns showed consistent losses by Chancellor Adenauer's Christian Democrats (CDU).

The two main Opposition parties, the Social Democrats (SPD) led by Herr Willy Brandt, and the Free Democrats (FDP) with Herr Erich Mende at their head, recorded steady gains.

In the vital proportional representation votes, the CDU, with 49.2 per cent were down 0.2 per cent of total votes cast with 10 per cent of the results known.

The SPD had 32.5 per cent of total votes compared with 27.4 in 1947.

The FDP had 13.5 per cent compared with 8.8 in 1957.—Reuter.

### Lim Chin Siong moves into Opposition group

Singapore, Sept. 17. Mr Lim Chin Siong, dismissed recently as Political Secretary to the Ministry of Finance for alleged Communist sympathies, was today named Secretary-General of the Barisan Socialist Party.

The party, the largest Parliamentary Opposition group to the Prime Minister, Mr Lee Kuan Yew, was born from a recent split within the ruling left-wing Peoples Action Party between moderates and those dissatisfied with Mr Lee's leadership.

Dr Lee Siew Choh, former Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Home Affairs, was named as Party Chairman.

Speaking at rally after today's announcements, Mr Lim denounced Government plans for the merger of Singapore with Malaya which, he said, would deprive Singapore people of equal citizenship rights.—Reuter.

### Iraqi troops damage tanks to stop attack

Kuwait, Sept. 17. A man identified as an Iraqi officer said Iraqi troops damaged tanks to stop an attack after the Prime Minister General Kassim, ordered an invasion of Kuwait the week before last, according to Kuwait Radio.

The radio last night broadcast an interview with two soldiers who were reported to have fled from Iraq to Kuwait. One of them gave his name, unit and his base in Iraq.

The radio today reported that soldiers who crossed the border to Kuwait had said they had come despite numerous killing spread in the Iraqi Army. The soldiers who surrendered would be shot by the Kuwait authorities.

The Iraqis were received with "brotherly kindness," the radio added.—Reuter.

### 3 East Berlin youths crash to freedom

Berlin, Sept. 17. Three 20-year-old East Berliners today crashed a six-ton lorry into a concrete wall marking the border between East and West Berlin and got through with only minor injuries, West Berlin police said.

The lorry stuck in the wall on East Berlin territory.

The incident occurred in Bouches street, which is cut by the border between East Berlin and the American Sector district of Neukolln.

This is the sixth instance of lorries and station wagons being crashed through or over the concrete wall by young East Berliners in the past ten days. East German police are bitterly reinforcing their border walls and barbed wire to prevent further flights.—Reuter.

### Sabotage reported at Castle Martin

London, Sept. 17. The British Army's Special Investigation Branch is investigating into reported sabotage of German equipment at the Fanner training ground at Castle Martin, Pembrokeshire, the War Office announced tonight.

A War Office spokesman said that a lorry was involved in the suspected sabotage.

After the arrival of the German tanks and troops, there were demonstrations against their presence on Welsh soil.—AFP.

### Phouma reveals discussions with Harriman

Rangoon, Sept. 17. The Laotian neutralist leader Prince Souvanna Phouma said today that in his talks with Mr Averell Harriman, President Kennedy's special envoy, it was agreed that Laotian problems should be solved by peaceful means.

"One of these problems is the formation of a national government which will be presided over by me," Prince Souvanna told a press conference here at the end of the second day of his talks with Mr Harriman.

He said they had discussed the urgent need to form such a government and of a meeting between him and Prince Boun Oum, leader of the Vientiane Government, and Prince Souphanouvong, who leads the left wing Pathet Lao movement. He had proposed a meeting for Sept. 25.

#### OBJECTIONS

Referring to Pathet Lao objections to his meeting with Mr Harriman, Prince Souvanna said: "I am not concerned with what the Pathet Lao say, but they are afraid of the U.S. creating division in Laos. But I am sure the U.S. is now eager and sincere about securing Laotian neutrality."—Reuter.

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### Monty inspects tractor plant in Loyang City

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## NO SURVIVORS

### Plane crashes, disintegrates

Chicago, Sept. 17.

A North West Orient Electra prop-jet airliner crashed into a railroad embankment, seconds after take-off today, and disintegrated in a series of explosions which killed 36 persons.

The Milwaukee-Chicago-Tampa, Florida flight was doomed almost at the moment it took off from the sprawling O'Hare air field. Officials said the giant plane appeared to have suffered a power failure and the pilot was fighting to get back to O'Hare for an emergency landing.

#### SLASHES

Skimming over suburban homes, the prop-jet sliced through a string of power lines and slammed into a concrete and earth embankment of the Chicago and North Western Railway tracks one mile southwest of the field at 1404 Gage.

The plane flipped over on its back and ploughed a path of destruction some 200 yards long through a marshy pasture behind the embankment. As it slashed across the turf, three mighty explosions destroyed the plane.

The dead were torn and burned.

North West Airlines headquarters in Minneapolis set the death toll at 30—30 passengers with tickets, an infant passenger without a ticket, and five crew members.

Chicago officials had earlier said 35 persons were dead.

### Radio Bagdad broadcasts support pledges

Bagdad, Sept. 17. Radio Bagdad today broadcast messages of solidarity sent to Premier Kassem concerning the "service measures" taken by authorities against rebels in the north.

But the radio still did not issue any official communiqué or precise information about developments in Northern Iraq, where an anti-Government rebellion has broken out.

The broadcasts were taken as an indication that order had not been restored. Most of those in the messages of solidarity declared themselves ready to save the country.—AFP.

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He will be accompanied by Mrs Rootes and Mr M. Keeble, Director of Overseas Companies, Rootes, Ltd, London.

While in Hongkong, Mr Rootes will see the distributors, Messrs Gilman & Co. Ltd, and the Hongkong Garage Ltd, and Rootes (Asia), Ltd, the Far East office for Rootes Organisation.

The party is scheduled to touch down at Kai Tak at 2.40 p.m. will stay in the Repulse Bay Hotel.

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SIR CHARLES HAWKE-RAT-  
TINGSTONE (Foulestone) to us soon grew weary of  
praising everything. One day he had a row with his friend the proprietor of the restaurant over the reimbursement of a large tip.

In spiteful mood he far exceeded his allowance of wine and liqueurs.

The head waiter, summoned to his table, approached smilingly, expecting the usual compliments. By now Sir Charles was accustomed to talking very loudly, so that neighbouring partons could hear what he said. On this occasion he shouted, "This place smells of mice." The consternation of the staff and the customers can be imagined. "Sorry for the proprietor," bawled Sir Charles, who was finally pacified with some very old brandy.

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## A good riposte

LOUIS XV once said to Count Dillon, the Irish General, "My Irish troops give me more trouble than the entire French Army." That, sir, replied Dillon, "Is the Invariable complaint of the enemy."

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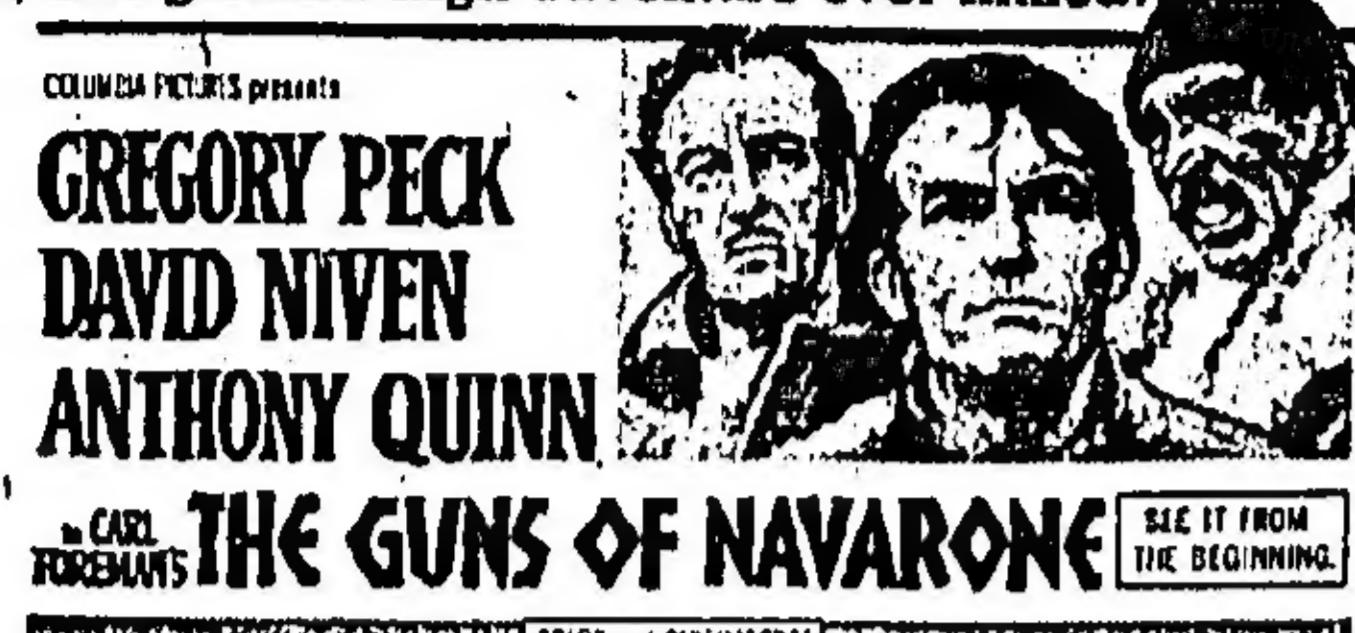
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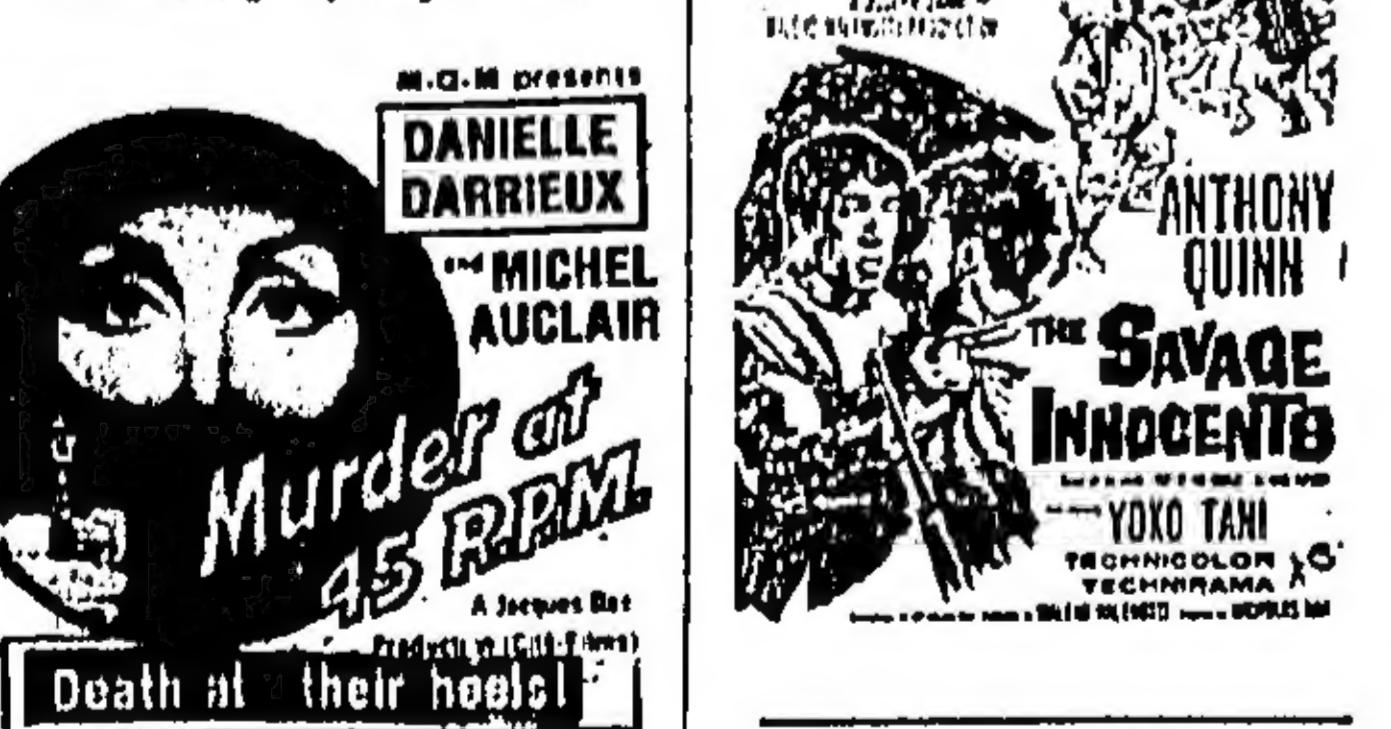
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sins.A special highway code,  
drawn up by the Redemptorist  
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and read in the Churches, said  
those who had been guilty of  
dangerous behaviour on the  
roads should go to confession  
and tell about it."You knew that jumping a  
halt sign or exceeding the speed  
limit was against the highway  
code and that it might mean a  
fine if the law caught up with  
you," the Fathers' message  
read. "But you know the Ten  
Commandments—and there isn't  
any mention of halt signs or  
speed limits, so how can it be a  
sin?"The Fathers answered their  
own question thus:"You have only your honour,  
your conscience, God's law—  
Thou shalt not kill or even be a  
danger to life—and the golden  
rule 'do unto others as you  
would have them do to you'."The code, which has official  
Church backing, calls for  
"policeness, thoughtfulness,  
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from British  
animal loversLondon, Sept. 15.  
British animal lovers are  
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drinks for thirsty elephants  
in Kenya, according to  
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programme called "the giant  
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rhinoceroses and other animals  
who are suffering from Kenya's  
worst drought for over 60  
years.I.T.N. said that before the  
programme was over many  
viewers had telephoned offering  
help. Half an hour after the  
report ended a viewer arrived  
at Television House—I.T.N.  
Headquarters—with 30 shillings  
in his hand. —China Mail  
Special.20 killed in  
accidentsMadrid, Sept. 17.  
Twenty persons died in Spain  
in weekend accidents, officials  
said today.Near Villanueva de Los  
Barros, 15 persons were killed  
and 21 injured last night when  
four ore-laden wagons of a  
freight train broke loose, ran  
downhill and smashed into an  
on-coming passenger train.Near Bilbao, five workers  
were killed when nitro-glycerine  
exploded in the Gurelbo  
factory of the Union  
Espanola de Explosives near  
here today. —UPI.The course, starting on Monday,  
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## Limelight

I FOUND Mr Alan Sillitoe, author of the highly successful novel and film, Saturday Night and Sunday Morning, in a flat which is reached by climbing several flights of bare concrete stairs.

One was scarcely surprised that thieves who had broken into his home—probably misled by all the publicity about his success—had left without taking anything. There isn't much to take.

Mr Sillitoe, in person, turns out to be a somewhat unassertive young man wearing an open-necked shirt who bears no resemblance whatsoever to Albert Finney.

Now, in conversation, does he express the anarchic, sexy, to-hell-with-everything-and-everybody point of view of his renowned hero, Arthur Seaton.

Mr Sillitoe thought that a possible explanation of the success of Saturday Night and Sunday Morning (800,000 copies sold in the paper-back edition, the film breaking all sorts of records) was that readers and audiences misinterpreted it.

Anyone who thought he was advocating the Arthur Seaton way of life (boozey, sex and mayhem) was mistaken. What he was doing was exploring the state of society that forces an Arthur Seaton to lead such an "unsatisfactory life."

## Irresponsible

"It is the story of a man," said Mr Sillitoe, "who has his earthly bread but not his spiritual bread. He has no spiritual values because the kind of conditions he lives in do not allow him to have any."

The reason the character has been so universally misinterpreted is because there are people who are very happy to see the working-class being represented as irresponsible, anarchic and without any sense of purpose.

"There's no danger in such people. It's when they organise themselves to do something to change the conditions they live under that they become dangerous."

"I suppose if one were to continue the story of Arthur Seaton he would, ideally speaking, recognise that his life is unsatisfactory, and what he would do about it is to become a Communist or a Socialist or a trade unionist."

ALAN SILLITOE  
Debating, not advocating

## The author protests...

**M** R ROBERT BOLT, who is to be found in a large Victorian house overlooking Richmond Green, is an author with a different attitude. He has been occupied for the past few months in writing the film script of Lawrence of Arabia for Sam Spiegel.

"I have a fairly free hand," he told me. "All that Spiegel insisted on was that I bring in a dozen key situations, battles, spectacles, big scenes."

"They don't seem to mind what the theme of the picture is. I got the impression that one theme would satisfy them as much as another."

Mr Bolt is somewhat perturbed by the thought that by

He expressed surprise on being told that Saturday Night had sold on 100,000 copies. "I hadn't noticed that there was any in it. I suppose there must have been some—a novel without sex isn't a novel really. But I wouldn't have said there was a lot."

He isn't, he said, particularly interested in the commercial success of his books, nor in making money nor in being a celebrity. "I lived for years in Majorca with my wife on £4 a week,

and we lived very well. I thought Saturday Night would make about £200 for me. It's made a bit more, of course, though it hasn't made me rich. I don't get any percentage of the film takings."

At the moment he is writing the film script of his short story Loneliness of the Long Distance Runner for the John Osborne company.

"I would never write a script of other people's work or to order."

"I do think it's corrupting," he said. "In the sense that it is corrupting to waste one's time doing something one doesn't desperately want to do. Of course that's only true of me. I wouldn't talk for anyone else."

"I'm thought of as a 'safe' playwright," he continued. "I'm not safe because I'm put on by Blackie Beaumont. Actually the safest and most fashionable plays today are those done at the Royal Court."

"To be really 'in' in the Nancy Mitford sense, you've got to be seen at a first night in Sloane-square, not in Shaftesbury-avenue. I can't remember any play at the Royal Court that dealt with the atomic bomb as one of my plays did."

Despite the halo of conformity that has been thrust upon him by his detractors, Mr Bolt is, at any rate, going a little further than John Osborne in support of his convictions.

He has agreed to take part in a sit-down demonstration against the bomb on September 23rd. He has been warned that this time the police intend to take firm action and that quite a lot of people are likely to end up in jail.

"I feel," said Mr Bolt, "that the only kind of mild protest somebody with something of a name can make is to get himself put in jail for a week or so."

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—(London Express Service).

working for a successful Hollywood film producer he will provide more ammunition to certain sections of the theatre who tend to belittle his work.

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THAT oddly titled play The Night Life of a Little Potato—written by 23-year-old ex-reporter actress Linda Lovelace—was so virile when it was staged in London last year, lasting only three weeks at the Lyric Theatre, Hammersmith, that the police had to ban it.

Now The Night Life of a Little Potato has been given a new title, Stork Talk, and it has been made in Ireland with John Wayne and Tony Britton in the leading parts of a gynaecologist and his wife.

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## AS BING AND FAMILY SETTLE DOWN IN BRITAIN...



IN THE GARDEN: KATHY CROSBY, BOB HARRY

## THE RELAXED LIFE OF MRS CROSBY

by PATRICIA LEWIS

THE three-year-old in red bathing trunks was determined to prove himself one of the great baseball pitchers of the future.

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so I think I've discharged my obligations."

When I asked how large a family they were planning, Mrs Crosby smiled gently.

"It's hardly up to me—you see, we're Catholic," she replied. "But why stop?"

"The only trouble is I'm always offered such lovely parts when I'm about four months pregnant."

"Yes, of course I enjoy it—I'm not restive about it."

"I guess one needs life to hold a fresh challenge every day," she added brightly. "There can be nothing more frustrating than having everything you want because that way you would become spoilt."

## Best time

Smoothing down her home-made brown and white gingham maternity dress, Kathy Crosby sank on to the garden steps and put up her pert, pony-tailed head.

"I have to be back in California around the first of October for the birth of my baby," she said. "But these weeks here have been about the best time Bing and I have had together."

"I've had no chores, no responsibilities."

"I came with my typewriter and loads of paper as well as my clary because I thought that while Bing was filming there'd be nothing to do. But the days go so quickly and then Bing and Bob come home from the studios and we all just sit around and have such fun talking that I've gotten real lazy."

"Mind you, I always get lazy when I'm pregnant. Childbirth is always very easy for us, quite a joyful experience—I love it."

"In fact, Mrs Crosby says Mommy will take away your fun."

"Well, we've got one boy, Harry, and a girl, Mary Frances."

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## A joy

HARRY LILLIE CROSBY THE THIRD came tearing up the garden path trailing a red balloon.

"Hello, darling—show Mommy the pretty balloon."

Intrigued as ever, Harry stopped just out of reach and stood twirling the balloon above his head like a lasso.

"Yes, he really has so much of his father in him," said his mother proudly. "He's gentle, sweet, and communicative—but on his own terms."

"Bing's a joy to live with—his needs are very simple, really simple, and while he has this God-given relaxedness he is also deeply sensitive."

Holding out her arms to the child, Kathy Crosby called to him. "Here, Harry—come sit by Mommy and say 'au revoir.'"

The balloon continued its perpetual motion in space.

"Harry! Say 'au revoir' or 'Au revoir,' mumbled Harry, rather wistfully.

Mary Frances, —(London Express Service).

## Why the world may never learn the truth about Atlantis

by Leonard Cotterell

IF you look up "Atlantis" in most modern encyclopaedias, you will find it firmly described as a mythical continent said to have existed in the Atlantic some 12,000 years ago.

But many people still firmly believe that there was an Atlantis, even though most archaeologists pool-pooch the idea.

How did this legend—if it is a legend—originate? And what are the scientific reasons for believing—or disbelieving—in it?

## HANDED DOWN

It is important to know the answers to those questions, because if the believers in Atlantis are ever proved right, most of our beliefs about the origins of civilisation would go by the board.

About 24 centuries ago the Greek philosopher Plato told a fascinating tale, handed down to him by his great-grandfather, who had heard it from Solon, one of the wisest of the Greeks. Solon learned it from the Egyptian priests.

Briefly, the story is this: Nine thousand years before Solon's time there had existed out in the Atlantic beyond the Straits of Gibraltar, an island called Atlantis—an island bigger than the whole of Europe, North Africa, and Western Asia.

## THE WAY

This island, it was said, "was the way to other islands, and through the islands you might pass through the whole of the opposite continent which surrounded the true ocean."

It must be realised that to the Greeks of Plato's time the centre of the world was the Mediterranean. The Atlantic Ocean, with which we are so familiar now, was not built up by the heroic defenders of Athens.

Then came a terrible catastrophe. In 24 hours of rain and flood the island of

## RED GLOW

America Aztecs and Mayas built pyramids and created a calendar, as did the Egyptians.

These facts, they urge, show that at one time there must have been a land-bridge between East and West, and that this was Atlantis and the other islands mentioned by Solon.

## VANISHED

Believers in the Atlantis theory are convinced that the story is basically true. They believe that this civilisation came to existence not from the East but from the West; not from Egypt and the Americas, as archaeologists tell us, but from that lost island now lying deep beneath the Atlantic where Solon's tale was submerged by some great catastrophe.

The essence of the Atlantis theory is this: long before this civilisation appeared in the Near East, there must have existed a more advanced form of human endeavour in a continent which has completely disappeared; that the stories about the Flood, which occur not only in the Bible but in the literature of Egypt, Babylon, China, and America, were a memory of the catastrophe which overwhelmed Atlantis.

But these facts do not convince the "Atlantists" and they can produce other arguments.

## SO CURIOUS

For instance, it is curious how often legends about lost continents survive among peoples living near the Atlantic.

There is the lost land of Lyonesse, said to exist beyond the tip of Cornwall. The Irish have their story of St Brendan and the "Island of the Blest" he found in the Atlantic. And there are others.

Nowadays archaeologists take legends more seriously than they once did, but because some ancient myths have been proved partly true, it does not follow that all of them are.

Again, it is one thing to study the visible remains of man on dry land, but quite another to search for him on the sea-bed of the stormy Atlantic.

One thing is certain. Supporters of the Atlantis theory will have to produce more convincing evidence before most archaeologists will believe in the lost continent.

—(London Express Service).



"What's it going to be today mate—Ho Man after-shave lotion with the James Bond deodorant?"  
London Express Service



Combined Chinese . . . 6, Far East Air Force . . . 2

# FAR EAST AIRMEN GO WEST

**Combined Chinese too clever for visitors in 'Battle of Britain' Cup match**

By I. M. MacTAVISH

Within five minutes of the start of the 'Battle of Britain' charity match at Caroline Hill on Saturday night Sperring catapulted through the air, applied his forehead accurately to a jet-propelled cross from Jones and, with the accuracy of a guided missile, sent it bang on target.

This superbly executed attack gave the visiting Far East Air Force side a wonderful start to their evening: the goal certainly gave the Chinese boys a shock . . . but it also—unfortunately—gave the fans a false impression of what was to follow.

The anticipated contest never really developed and in the end the Combined Chinese won even more decisively than the 6-2 score suggests. They were superior in almost every phase of the game and were matched only by the exemplary sportsmanship of the Air Force side.

Among the visitors Collins gets special mention for a very capable display in goal. The big fellow dealt confidently with everything that he could get near and he had no chance with the shots that beat him.

#### Main weakness

The airmen's main weakness was at half-back. There was no lack of endeavour but there was a very definite lack of pre-coordinated plan and class. McGee was excellent in a stopper role but his distribution was poor. Superficially Ross—one of the two Hongkong-based boys in the side—appeared to be having a successful outing until one realised the wide open space in which Lau Chil-lam was operating. Lau was the mainspring of the Chinese attack and he was given far too much room in which to start his dangerous moves.

Skpper McAllister began well enough and for a time he and Thompson kept a close watch on the Hongkong left wing but as the game progressed they fell more and more under the spell of Yiu Cheuk-ying and Leung Wal-hung. But to their credit they never resorted to crude exploitation of their superior weight to curb the tantalising tricks of the home left-wing.

The Air Force forward line apart from that glorious opening, which would have made the few stand up and cheer, and a second half Gibson-style blockbuster from Sperring—was never more than a token force.

The big disappointment in this department was Stringfellow from whom so much was expected. Just after the airmen scored their opening goal the inside-left carried out a neat individual sortie in which he cleverly shook four opponents off his tail but, when diminutive Hoo Wal-nyin wasted the resultant chance, Stringfellow signed a personal non-aggression pact with the opposition. He faded right out of the picture and Chan Fu-hung had never had an easier evening.

#### Outstanding

Sperring and Jones suggested that given the right support they might have achieved something worthwhile but it was simply a case of 'the too few'.

It was good to see Toth back in action at Colony pitch. Playing at inside-right in the second half he occasionally produced those silken inch perfect passes we used to know so well but there was little response from those around him.

The Combined Chinese did the occasion proud by turning out a strong representative side which, if somewhat raw removed from current Colony strength, had enough big names to give the game a touch of glitter.

The outstanding performers were Kwok Chi-hung, who strode almost casually through the 90 minutes without ever appearing to be in any kind of diff-

iculties. Lau Tim, Lau Chil-lam, an expert at exploiting the open spaces so generously donated to him, and Yiu Cheuk-ying, who in spasm recaptured the form that made him Asia's outstanding player a few years ago.

About 7,000 fans, impatient for the start of the new season, turned out for this annual charity match and after Sperring's sparkling opening they sank back in anticipation of something very special. Instead they got a heavy shower of rain which persisted for the duration of the match but did not unduly damp their spirits.

Chow Shiu-hung had a "dummy run" when he scored but was adjudged offside. The big fellow dealt confidently with everything that he could get near and he had no chance with the shots that beat him.

**The teams**

**Combined Chinese:** Kwok Chow-ming, Lee Kang-wai, Kwok Chi-hung, Chan Fu-hung, Ko Po-keung (Lau Tim), Leung Kit, Au Pang-nin, Lau Chil-lam, Chow Shiu-hung, Yiu Cheuk-ying, Leung Wal-hung.

**FEAF:** Collins, Thompson, Taylor, McAllister, McGee, Ross, Galloher, (Toth), Ho Wal-nyin, Sperring, Stringfellow, Jones.

Reference: Mr Luk Tak-sun.

## English League to discuss fall of soccer attendances

London, Sept. 17. The English Football League Management Committee today decided to hold a special meeting within the next few weeks to go into the whole question of the growing diminution in public interest in the game.

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With seconds of the restart Yiu Cheuk-ying was on the mark again. A defensive mixup gave him a chance to send Collins on a retrieving mission to the back of the net . . . and the game was virtually over.

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"The Management Committee have asked me to prepare certain information on the whole aspect covering re-organisation, the falling off of rates, the best days on which to play, publicly, press relations, etc."

In reply to questions, Mr Hardaker said that this season all the clubs were down on their attendance figures to some extent. The trend was for mid-week games to be better than Saturdays in the provinces, but the other way round in London.

#### Appeals

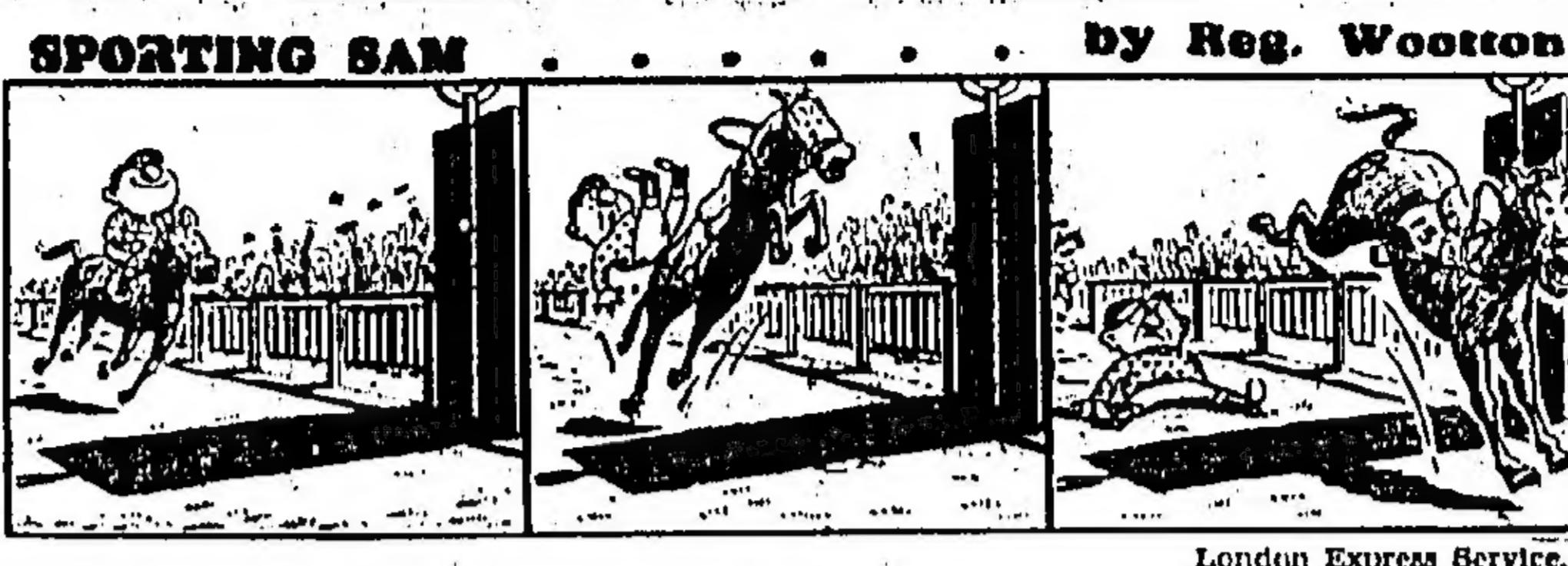
"The major portion of the spectators we have lost since the boom years after the war have been lost in August, September and the first two weeks of October—in fact about half of the reduction has come during that period."

Mr Hardaker said that the committee had also dealt with the appeals of nine players who had not agreed with the terms of their clubs under the "New Deal" for football players announced recently. The decisions would be announced later this week, perhaps on Wednesday.

The nine players were: Allen and Taylor (Birmingham City); Bannister (Lincoln); Frye (Sheffield Wednesday); Campbell (Crewes); Sykes (Bristol Rovers); and three Wokingham players: Burklnshaw, Hincliffe and Tennant.—AFP.

**VERDICT: Although outplayed and outstayed the Far East Air Force side won many friends by their willingness to keep trying and their commendable determination to 'keep it clean' . . .**

**The game provided pleasant entertainment and from the time the players on both sides were presented to Air Commodore P. L. Donkin**



## HOCKING AND HAILWOOD ASSURED OF WORLD MOTOR-CYLING TITLES

Kristianstad, Sept. 17. Gary Hocking, the brilliant Rhodesian motor-cycling ace, clinched the 500cc World Championship title, and Mike Hailwood, Britain's triple TT winner, made sure of the 250cc crown, by winning their events in these divisions at today's Swedish Grand Prix meeting here.

Though the Argentinian Grand Prix has still to be held, neither man can now be overhauled by rivals.

Japan's K. Takahashi, riding a Honda, finished second in the 125cc race, the best Japanese placing at the meeting.

His compatriot, Teisuke Tanaka, had a spill during the

125cc race and though restarting and finishing 11th nine laps behind, had not recovered sufficiently to ride as scheduled in the 250cc race.

Takahashi was third in the 250cc race.

#### Results

250cc (20 laps)

1. M. Hailwood (Britain), Honda, 51 mins 29.4 secs.

2. L. Taveri (Switzerland), Honda, 51 mins 3.0.

3. K. Takahashi (Japan), Honda, 53 mins 24.4.

4. J. Redman (Northern Rhodesia), Honda, one lap behind.

5. F. Stastny (Czechoslovakia), Jawa, two laps behind.

6. T. Phillips (Australia), two laps behind.

350cc (23 laps)

1. F. Stastny (Czechoslovakia), Jawa, 59 mins 32.5 secs.

2. G. Havel (Czechoslovakia), Jawa, one lap behind.

3. T. H. Robt (Britain), AJS, one lap behind.

4. R. Thalhammer (Austria), Norton, one lap behind.

5. R. J. Langston (Britain), AJS, one lap behind.

6. M. A. D. (Canada), AJS, one lap behind.

500cc (30 laps)

1. G. Hocking (Northern Rhodesia), MV Agusta, 1 hour 14 mins 09.8 secs.

2. M. Hailwood (Britain), MV Agusta, 1:15:00.7.

3. F. Periss (Canada), Norton, 1:16:23.5.

4. E. Schneider (Austria), Norton, 1:16:29.2.

5. M. A. D. (Canada), Matchless, one lap behind.

6. P. Pawson (New Zealand), Norton, one lap behind.—Reuter.

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by Reg. Wootten

London Express Service

## SINGAPORE GRAND PRIX

**Rubber planter wins sports car event in an Aston Martin**

Singapore, Sept. 17. A rubber planter, I. M. Barnwell, steadily driving an Aston Martin over 180 miles of winding road against professional racers, today won Singapore's Grand Prix sports and racing car event.

Barnwell's car was the same one which Johore Grand Prix winner Chan Lye-choon used to win the Macao Grand Prix in 1958.

**Rosewall beats Gonzales in final**

Paris, Sept. 17. Ken Rosewall, of Australia, beat world champion Pancho Gonzales, of the United States by 2-6, 6-4, 6-3, 8-6 in the singles final of the World Professional Clay Court Tennis Tournament at Roland Garros here today.

**Overall winner**

The Japanese ace Gichi Suzuki took first place on a Honda 250cc in the 125-250cc class over 15 laps. C. Proffitt, on a Honda 248, came second and Seiichi Suzuki on a Suzuki 250 came third.

An Indonesian, J. Grashus, on a Norton 350, was overall winner in the 125cc and under, and 25cc to 350cc class.

A Japanese, Mutsumi Tosaka, on a Honda 125, was second and another Japanese, Seiichi Suzuki, riding a Suzuki 125, was third.—AP

**Balkan Games champions**

Belgrade, Sept. 17. Yugoslavia won the 20th Balkan Games which ended here today when they notched up a 26 points lead over Romania.

Romania here won the women's section with 89 points.

The best athlete at the Games was the Yugoslavian, Kovac who won four gold medals. He took first places in the 400 metres, and the 400 metres hurdles, and was also a member of the winning 4x100 and 4x400 metres relay teams.—AP

**Fisher takes chess lead over Tahl**

Bolgrad, Sept. 18. Bobby Fisher of the US. in night took over the lead from Mikhail Tahl after the tenth round of the international chess tournament here.

Fisher defeated Borislav Ivaylo of Yugoslavia 1-0, while Tahl drew with his compatriot Petrosian, thus allowing a half-point lead for the American grandmaster.

**Maris now two home runs short of Babe Ruth's record**

Detroit, Sept. 18. Roger Maris, today hit his 58th homer and missed another by a foot as he remained a game ahead in his assault on Babe Ruth's home run record.

The New York Yankee batter hit his home run today in the 12th inning and it produced a 6-4 victory over the Detroit Tigers.

Maris has three games left in which to get two more home runs and match Ruth's mark of 69 in the decreed limit of 154 games.

Maris' home run came on a 2-1 pitch with Tony Kubek on base. The ball struck near the top of the nine-foot right-centre-field screen just over Al Kaline's outstretched glove at the 205-foot mark.

The Yankees now move to Baltimore's spacious Memorial Stadium where Maris has failed to hit a homer this season.

In an effort to run out of time, Maris at Baltimore, the Yankees will need a combination of two victories or two Detroit defeats to capture the pennant there.

Skowron and Cletis Boyer will hit home runs for New York.

## MAINLY ABOUT SPORT

By BRIAN GLANVILLE

## New career for Winterbottom?

The pendulum has swung. Sir Stanley Rous will not, after all, withdraw his nomination for the presidency of the World Soccer body, FIFA, the election for which takes place later this month. Sir Stanley, who was somewhat perturbed by the necessity to give up a well-rewarded job as secretary of the Football Association for an honorary one with pension, was virtually assailed at the recent meeting of the European FA, at Interlaken, by national representatives who want him to accept the presidency.

Among them, most impressively of all, were several who had previously been regarded as his potential opponents.

If Sir Stanley does accept and attain the presidency, he will not, of course, be able to continue as the salaried secretary of the FA.

This would not, however, prevent him from carrying on for a couple of years in an honorary capacity, shoving the ropes to his eventual successor.

In the meantime, it is not to be ruled out that the FIFA Congress, when it meets, will decide to postpone election of a president until next year, when the term of office unfulfilled by

the late Mr Arthur Drewry—the last president—will be completed.

## Increased stature

If Rous becomes FIFA president, who would ultimately succeed him in England?

The only possible choice, in my view, must be that of Mr Walter Winterbottom, the England team manager and Director of Coaching, whose stature and scope has been increasing year by year. I understand that he has already done splendid work on the plans for the 1966 World Cup, whose finals will be held in England.

This, in turn, raises still another problem: who would become the next Director of Coaching, in succession to Winterbottom?

It is unlikely that one man alone would fill the job. Winterbottom, in the meantime, might well continue, as FA secretary, to keep an administrative eye on the scheme.

Several of his favourite dis-

coaches, would probably be disbanded, in consequence of his association with the footballers' revolt; that would make matters difficult for him when he was obliged to deal with those League representatives and directors whom he has so ably and forcefully been opposing.

The choice, then, might well fall on the former England inside-left, Dennis Wilshaw, who has been most efficiently coaching school-boys in the Midlands.

## Old Blackheath

Quite a year, this, for hocke y anniversary. Blackheath, the oldest club in the country, are celebrating their centenary, the Hockey Association their 75th birthday, and the Scottish Association their 60th.

Appropriately, a history of the game is now in progress, its author being Mr B. D. Morgan of 121, Croftorhore-road, Salford, Birmingham.

He'd be grateful, he tells me, for any relevant photographs or information.

Blackheath's celebrations, next month, will take the form of an ambitious dinner and a match against the Hockey Association—who are expected to use it as a trial run for the England team, due to meet Holland later in October.

The primacy and longevity of Blackheath sports clubs is surely interfered on behalf of the footballers, is one of the country's outstanding and most intelligent



RON SPRINGETT... world-class goalkeeeper.

## A man for the big occasion

A man came to mend my telephone the other day who said he'd known Ron Springett when they were working for Shell. "Mad, he was; he'd play goal in the break and fling himself about all over the road."

Springett, when I told him, grinned and said: "It was true; he'd never worried much about injuries. He's a square, tough, bronzed, amiable man, with an Adam's apple—dark, not blonde—and he's probably one of the four best goalkeepers in the world."

A handful of bad moments when playing trial matches for England, in the week before the season started, shouldn't be used in evidence against him; he's very much a player for the big occasion.

His philosophy of goalkeeping is simple and practical: "If you get the saves to do, why, you can do it, can't you? I mean, look at that game with Scotland last season: we won 9-3 and they were the three easiest goals ever, but you couldn't do anything about it. That's why I like to get a feel of the ball early in the game. You might have noticed the other day, when Don Meehan (Wednesday's left-back) got the ball, he gave it back to me. I mean, last season we had such a good defence I wouldn't touch the ball for 20 minutes, then they'd come away and they'd score."

"I felt a right fool, especially if I've got to pick it out myself. Usually the backs pick it out. I detest picking the ball out of the net."

Though he plays for Sheffield Wednesday and graduated through Queen's Park Rangers, Springett's a Fulham man; but when Fulham gave him a trial, he failed it for being "too small."

## Scots amnesia

I remarked three weeks ago that Scotland have a perverse habit of ignoring their international footballers once they've been transferred to England.

Now I see that they have left Arsenal's John McLeod out of the list of probables for the decisive World Cup match with Czechoslovakia this month.

This bewilders me. In an era when wingers are timorous men for the most part, going forever outside the back and reluctant to cut in, McLeod is tough, determined, aggressive, with two good feet, an admirable swerve, and a speed in thought and movement rare in one so fresh from Scottish League football.

There was no time to recall him; after all, he appeared to be good enough for the team a few months ago—when he was still playing for Hibernian.

## Sports Diary

TODAY'S SOCCER  
Exhibition match: Far East Air Force v South China, Carolina Hill, 6.30 pm. TENNIS  
Colony Ladies' championship singles final at LINC, 6.30 pm.

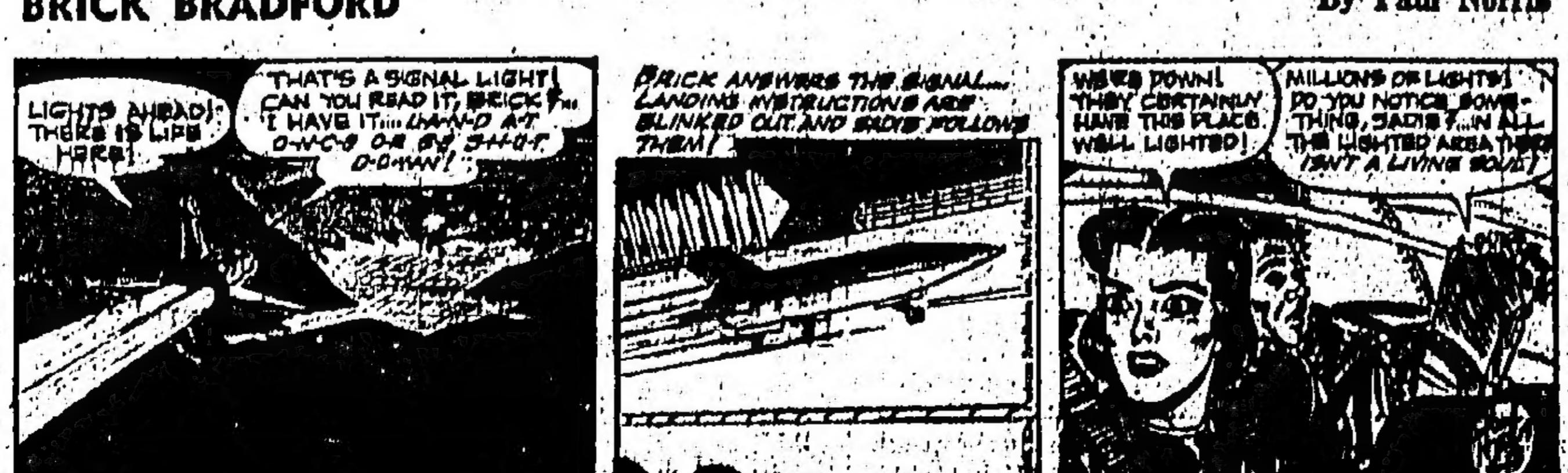
INDIA Water Polo Committee meeting, Shell Club, Shell House, 17th floor, 6.30 pm.

## THE FLUTTERS



By Paul Norris

## BRICK BRADFORD



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## ENGLISH RACING REVIEW

## Aurelius's win brings Murless, Piggott closer to trainers', jockeys' titles

By CLAUDE RICHARDSON

The victory of Aurelius in the St Leger at Doncaster recently virtually assures Noel Murless of his third Trainers' Championship in succession and his fourth in five years.

With only two months of the flat racing season left, and few rich events still to be decided, the 61-year-old Wizard of Warren Place, Newmarket, Suffolk, won more than £90,000 for his patrons this season. He holds a lead of more than £25,000 over his nearest rival, Harry Wragg, whose stable is also at Newmarket.

Many horses have contributed to Murless's total, but if he wins the championship it will be due in the last analysis to Aurelius's classic win.

Before the St Leger, Murless Wragg, by nearly £5,000

and it seemed very likely that he would lose his training title to his Newmarket neighbour.

Champion jockey Lester Piggott's beautifully judged handling of Aurelius in the classic spotlighted the big part he has played in the success of the Murless horses. Piggott is to have ridden on the British turf, and at the moment he looks likely to retain his Jockey's Championship against a strong challenge by Australian Scobie Breasley.

Breasley is also an artist at the game and says much for Piggott's ability that he was able to finish ahead of the Australian last year, and looks like doing so this season, though it is for five vital points heavier.

From eight stone upwards, a few pounds in a jockey's weight can make a tremendous difference in the number of promising ridges he can take.

## Top wins, failures

Apart from Aurelius' Leger win, the biggest Murless Piggott triumphs this season and two of the most disappointing failures were associated with St Paddy and Petite Etoile.

St Paddy won three races, including the Eclipse Stakes at Sandown Park, worth a total of £20,372 and Petite Etoile had four victories, including the Coronation Cup at Epsom, which brought in £7,004.

On the debit side, St Paddy was humbled by the great French three-year-old Right Royal, 5th in the £23,000 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes at Ascot in July, for which Murless's four-year-old started his odds on in odds on.

St Paddy, 2, 10, 2 BX Ch; 1 BX-K1, 2 BX Ch; 1 BX-K1, BX-P, 2 BX Ch; 1 BX-K1, BX-B, BX-P Ch; or 2 BX, BX-K1, BX-B, BX-P.

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MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1961.

## 'FLOWER DRUM SONG' ENVOYS COMING FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Two prominent San Francisco Chinese business men will be arriving in Hongkong in the course of a tour in connection with the gala hospital-benefit performance there of the Universal-International film "Flower Drum Song," in which Hongkong's Nancy Kwan plays a big role.

The two Chinatown business men, Mr H. K. Wong and Mr Al. L. Lin, who are members of Mayor George Christopher's civic committee, will carry token gifts and letters from the Mayor and paintings by Don King from the "Flower Drum Song" in the course of their Far Eastern tour.

The two men, who left San Francisco last week as the Mayor's special emissaries to bring attention to the event, will visit Honolulu, Tokyo, Taipei, Hongkong, Manila, Bangkok and Singapore.

### MEET THE PRESS'

Universal-International's foreign press department and Mayor Christopher have arranged for them to meet the press, and the Mayor and Governors in the various cities and countries they visit.

Each envoy is also bringing special books on San Francisco from the San Francisco and Chinatown Chambers of Commerce, and a recording of "The Enchanted City." Their trip will last about six weeks.

The benefit performance of "Flower Drum Song," which stars Nancy Kwan, James Shigeta, Miyoshi Umeki and Juanita Hall, will be held at the HKO Golden Gate Theatre in San Francisco on November 17. Mrs Hunter, who produced the film version of the Rodgers and Hammerstein Broadway musical will, stars, press and civic leaders will participate in the three-day "Flower Drum Song" Festival. Three San Francisco hospitals will receive the proceeds.

### Chinese paintings to be displayed at Cathedral Hall

An exhibition of Chinese paintings by seven pupils of Mr Szeto Ki will be opened at the St John's Cathedral Hall today.

The pupils are Messrs Cho Wing-kwong, Ng Bink, Tan Yiu-wong, Leung Yip-hung, Cheung Sek-kwun, Wong Fun-ki, and Chan Tat-sang.

Their works are mainly of landscapes, flowers and birds.

The exhibition will remain open from 10 am to 7 pm each day till Wednesday, September 21.

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## DRUM MAJOR'S MACE FOR HK REGIMENT

Drum Major's mace, a gift from the officers of the Middlesex Regiment, will be presented to the Hongkong Regiment at the Regimental Headquarters in Happy Valley at noon on Wednesday.

The mace will be presented by Brigadier J. E. F. Willoughby, Colonel of the Middlesex Regiment (Duke of Cambridge's Own) and Chief of Staff, Land Forces, to reaffirm the alliance of the two regiments and their long-standing ties in peace and war.

### RECEPTION

It will be received by Colonel H. A. de Barros Botelho, Honorary Colonel of the Hongkong Regiment (The Volunteers).

A small reception will be held at the Regimental Headquarters after the presentation ceremony.

### Soldier teased women pedestrians

Gunner John M. Wilson, 23, of 32 Medium Regiment, Royal Artillery, was fined \$40 by Mr P. F. X. Leonard at South Kowloon Magistracy this morning for disorderly behaviour.

Inspector A. Lew said that on Saturday, Wilson was seen at the junction of Carnarvon-road and the Grand Hotel, annoying women passers-by.

Wilson told the Magistrate that he was drunk and could not recall what he had done.

### Actress expected here today

Miss Eileen Peal, star of the state production, "Aurious Drawn", which has just completed a successful run in Sydney and Melbourne, is expected to arrive in Hongkong by Qantas today.

Miss Peal will stay in the Colony for a few days before departing for London.

## FISHERMEN'S CHILDREN TO HAVE NEW SCHOOL AT SAI KUNG

A new school for fishermen's children at Sai Kung will be opened at 11 am on Wednesday by Mrs J. Cater, wife of the Commissioner for Co-operative Development and Fisheries.

The newly completed school, the tenth primary school to be operated by the Fish Marketing Organisation, has accommodation for 180 pupils in two daily sessions.

It is also the third fishermen's children's school to be operated by the FMO in the port shelter area. The other two are at Kau Sai and Hung Hau.

### CONSTRUCTION COST

The school has a staff of five teachers, and an advisory committee of five representatives of the Sai Kung fishing community will assist the Fish Marketing Organisation in the management of the school.

The cost of construction is just over \$30,000, half contributed by the Education

### Opening ceremony

The Commissioner for Rehabilitation, Mr C. G. M. Morrison will formally open the new Settlement Department Building in Pui Ching-road, Homantin, Kowloon at 3 pm today.

## dear sir

### The neutrals

Under the guise of "neutrality", hypocrisy, which breeds in moral decrepitude, has too long been allowed to act as a major deterrent to peace. By exposing the true nature of the so-called "neutral" nations' "neutrality", in your pertinent editorial "Time the Label was Changed" (China Mail September 14, 1961), you have rendered a great service to the cause of peace, for hypocrisy exposed cannot endure.

In a world of long last shaken out of its complacency towards the juvenile delinquents of the growing family of nations, your words will echo into a roar from all who live by the Rule of Law and earnestly long for peace.

The time has come to stand up and be counted.

HENRI J. BALLERAND.

## dear sir

Constance Laver, the girl who became mixed up in an American race riot, strolled in a peaceful English lane the other day and said: "It was a pretty ugly experience. I never want to go through anything like it again."

A 20-year-old student, Constance spent two days in jail, charged with inciting a race riot in Monroe, North Carolina, USA. She was given a six-month suspended jail sentence, and flew back to London, to be reunited with her family.

Her father, 48-year-old Mr Walter Laver, a lecturer in English literature at Durham University, was waiting at Gatwick Airport to meet her. Laver, joined by her mother, Mrs Anita Laver and 18-year-old student sister Rachael, Constance said: "I have never been in a riot before and I hope I never shall be again. I am not a professional agitator or anything like that. I want to America on a purely private visit."

"Sympathisers in New York are raising money for a possible appeal against my conviction. I would be willing to return there for the hearing if necessary. Before I go back to the London School of Economics I shall go on a short holiday with my parents."

Picture shows a welcome home for Constance.

Now, with the desire of educating the "BACKWARDS" minds, I venture to suggest that you or your Swiss friend invite the Government or University pathologists to do their post-mortems in your flat and if you do not like this name in the correspondence column, I'd recall the advice of our "Hongkong's Institution" and skip the stuff with pleasure.

France exploded her atom bombs in Africa, by which she gained all the knowledge she had and was benefited by it, but the Africans got the hell of their radioactive fall-outs. And a great African leader, Dr Nkrumah got angry about it and you called him "hypocrite"!

With regards to your American "AIDS", which always made a mockery of human dignity everywhere they went, I can assure you that there are now getting less and less human souls for sale in Asia and Africa. I can also tell you and your Swiss friend that with the exception of a few, all the great national leaders of Asia and Africa today are real patriots and heroes of their own peoples, though to you they may look like traitors as Jude did to Maccabaei.

"Breathe there a man, whose soul so dead, who never to himself hath said 'Tis my own, my native land?', yes, there breathed plenty of such men in Asia and Africa before, but certainly NOT NOW. Asia and Africa are standing up now, though you used to see them lying down in the past. Time marches on.

T. P. W.

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THEODORE LI.

### Victim

I would like to follow up with your reader who signed himself as "Victim" in his letter to you commenting on Don Carlos feature article on the building racket in Tsimshatsui.

"A Victim" expresses dismay at government's apathy to the plight of the victims of this type of racketeering and wonders why "the authorities are doing nothing about the racket which the China Mail had fearlessly exposed". I must say that this feeling is shared by the majority of your readers.

But since no reaction has come from official quarters, nor can we expect any to come from building contractor circles, Don Carlos might be able to do the public another service by following up his first exposure story with another one, reporting the Government's point of view, and to enquire into why these building rackets seem successfully able to enlist the protection of the law against the "victim" complaints.

Can Government introduce legislation to permit sales of flats only after the construction of the building has been completed. This way, would-be flat owners will have the chance to see and inspect what they are actually buying.

THEODORE LI.

## dear sir

I suggest your correspondent G.F. change his label to R.E.P.

HENRI J. BALLERAND.

## Tribunal hears plans for new building

A 15-storey building to replace Nos 61-65, Nan-chang-street, Shamshui-poo, was described in exemption proceedings this morning before Tenancy Tribunal.

Mr F. Zimmerman appeared for the applicant Mrs Cheune Mun-hui, owner of the three-storey houses with business tenancies on the ground floors who have restructured, shop and book shops.

### ADJOURNED

The architect, Mr Au Young-ki, planned a composite structure costing \$720,000 for the site where demolition occurred by tenements which he said were in poor condition.

Mr J. R. Oliver, President of Tenancy Tribunal, and members Mr W. W. C. Shewan and Mr H. Chung ordered an adjournment for discussion of settlement terms.

## 39-year-old man charged with corruption

A 39-year-old man, Young Six-man, of 23 Wing-Wo-street, second floor, Central, appeared before Mr J. T. Williams at Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of corruption. Young was remanded until Thursday for further enquiry on bail of \$7,000.

No plea was taken. It is alleged that on Saturday, Young corruptly gave \$4,000 to Fai Wong Keng, a Assistant Trade Officer of the Department of Commerce and Industry, as an inducement or reward for Wong not to disclose the irregularities of the books belonging to the Tung Chun Co.

## From the Files

**25 years AGO**

September 1936

WITHIN a week of warning by the American authorities that counterfeit U.S. currency notes were being circulated in the Shanghai area, officers of the special crime branch, SMP, headquarters, in Shanghai, led by Detective Sub-Inspector G. Pryde, a few days ago completed a neatly-prepared coup, which it is believed will lead to the breaking-up of the gang of forgers concerned, says the Shanghai Times.

Three hundred and fifty-five counterfeit U.S.\$20 notes were seized when two arrests were made in the Great Eastern Hotel, representing a face value of U.S.\$7,300, or more than \$24,000 local currency.

Letter to the Editor. Sir—May I draw your attention to the fact that since your recent article on homework the amount imposed in some instances has been almost doubled? Can you or any of your readers inform me if parents are legally entitled to refuse homework on behalf of their children? The encroachment of school impositions over domestic authority is becoming a distinct menace to home life. (Signed) SHORTY.

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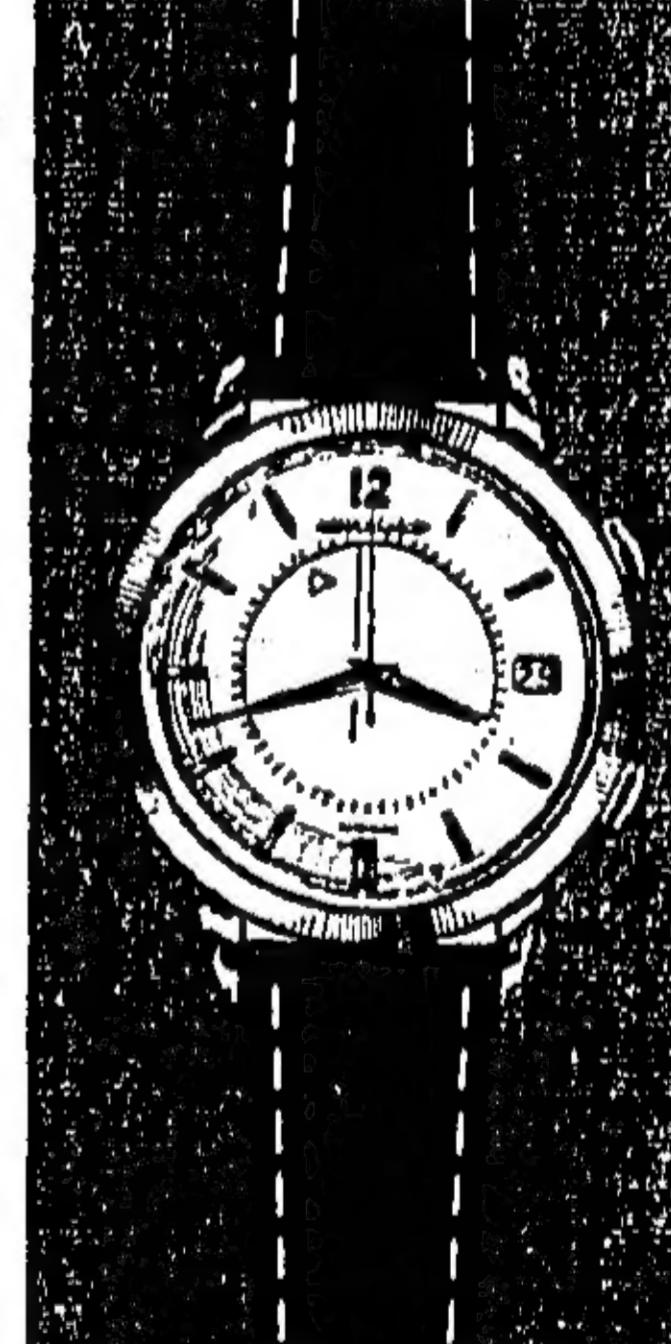
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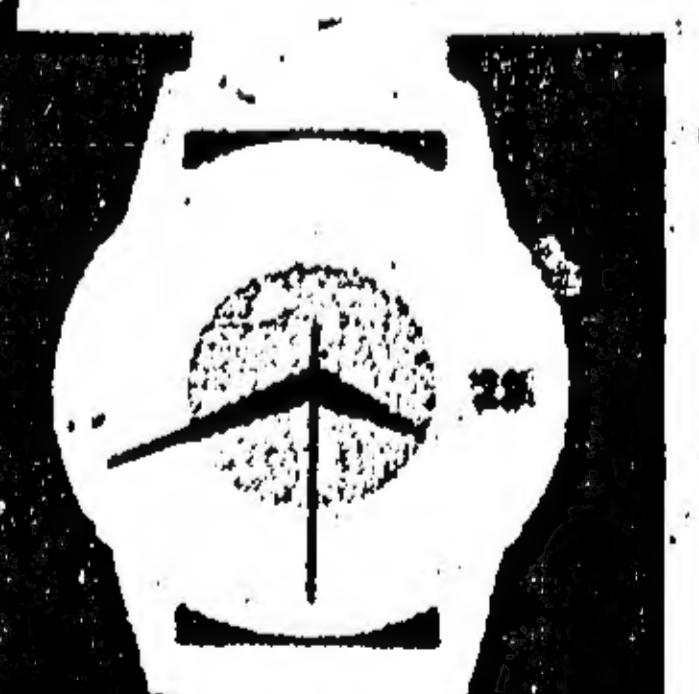
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